A Corner in Valentines. (By Clarissa Mackie.)

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"Just a moment, Mr. Scott," said the busy clerk, apologetically; "you see we are very busy today," he continued, hastily making change for a small girl who had purchased a valentine. "Tomorrow's Valentine day, you know."

"I ought to know," growled Mr. Scott irascibly; "you have informed me of that fact four distinct times this morning. Do you mean to say that all these people are buying idiotic pictures to send to their friends?"

"They are buying valentines, yes,

to send to their friends?"

"They are buying valentines, yes, sir," returned the clerk with an apprehensive glance toward the several customers. "Your paper will be ready has moment, sir; the package has not been opened yet."

"So busy selling valentines, of course! You needn't repeat the explanation!" snapped Mr. Scott turning toward the door. Pausing in the entrance he looked back. The little stationer's was the only shop of its kind in the village; here alone bloomed the flower garden of valentines. Here alone was the source of his annoyance. A diabolical plan entered Mr. Timothy Scott's clever head. A voice interrupted his musings.

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"Here is your paper at last, Mr. Scott," said the clerk, affably. The old gentleman looked about the store as he pocketed the paper; the other customers had departed, he was the only one there.

"Show me all the valentines you have in stock," he ordered sharply.

"Yes—yes, sir." gasped the perturbed clerk as he dived beneath the counter. Presently he emerged, dusty and breathless, bearing several large green pasteboard boxes.

"These in the store," he said, indicating the interior of the small room, "and these in the boxes are all we have!"

Mr. Scott looked around at the rows

of valentines. There were picture pos-tals, lace paper missives, a few silk and satin beauties and an assortment of the coarse "comic" valentines. All of them expressed varied degrees of senti-ment and they were all resplendent in cupids, intertwined hearts, flowers and

"I will take them all." said Mr. Tim-othy Scott, reaching for his pocket-

book.

The agitated shopman stared vacuously until he caught the fierce gleam in the customer's eye; then with trembling fingers he collected the valentines and placed them in boxes. In ten minutes the store was denuded of its festive array and Mr. Timothy Scott was the proud possessor of six huge boxes of valentines.

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he asked, sharply.
"No, sir," said the clerk; "there isn't another one in the village, and I couldn't get any one to drive twenty miles to Millertown after some."
"Very good," said Mr. Timothy Scott as he paid his bill. "I will send my man after the boxes," he said, as he left the store and entered the storm of flying flakes. There promised to be a

left the store and entered the storm of flying flakes. There promised to be a heavy snowfall, and Mr. Scott tramped cheerfully toward his handsome home very well satisfied with the result of his morning's work.

Late that afternoon old Benjamin staggered into the house under the load of boxes from the stationer's, and his master ordered them placed in a corner of the library, where he sat toasting his feet before the pleasant blaze.

"Dis year paper is all de mail dey was, sah," said the negro as he placed the evening newspaper at his master's elbow. "Somehow, Mr. Timothy, seems like dey's powerful lot o' excitement down to de postorfis, sah!"

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"What sort of excitement, Benjamin?" asked Mr. Scott, absently.
"Why, I dunno 'sackly, sah. I heerd Mr. Downs say as how somebody had boughten ebery valentine deywas in Beechcove, and dey wan't one to be hed fer love or money, nohow. Some aks like dey was put out about it! I 'spect some gemman has a lot ob lady fren's he's gwine to 'member dis yer day!" he chuckled gleefully.
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Timothy Scott's weazened little face flushed under its mat of snow white hair. "That will do, Benjamin," he said gravely, and the old servant re-

tired.
"I dunno, Hetty," he confided to his better half, who was washing dishes in the kitchen, "seems like Mr. Timothy's growing pesky irritable lately."

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"I don't recomember what he sayed." returned Benjamin, dubiously; but he did look like he mought be saying something befo' long!"

Mr. Timothy Scott sat late below his cheerful fire that evening, with a feeling of discomfort beneath his feeling of discomfort beneath his gaze first floor 207 E. 8th st. encountered the pile of boxes in the corner of the room.

"What are you going to do with us?" they seemed to ask, reproach-fully, "Are you going to send us on our several ways to cheer sorrowful lovers and make little children smile?"

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and that was very strange, too!

There was a picture of a girl, such a pretty girl, small and dainty, with There was a picture of a girl, such a pretty girl, small and dainty, with black hair and soft black eyes. She wore a white gown and a blue ribbon, and she was giving Mr. Timothy Scott a valentine and Mr. Timothy Scott seemed to be very glad to get it! And there was another picture of the same girl, in a white gown and a blue ribbon, but her eyes were full of tears and pleading, while Mr. Timothy Scott was frowning at her with thick brows drawn closely together and a very angry countenance; and young Mr. Scott turned away and left the girl and he never once looked back.

Through the great bronze gateway, which he had not passed since that of their day so many years ago, they dashed up the broad avenue, sweeping in front of the colonial house and he alighted with brisk agility. The long wait in the familiar drawing room, the parting of the velvet curtains, the coming of a diminutive figure with snowy hair piled high, soft, black eyes and white dress, with knots of violet ribbon, and then. "Timothy," she said gently, "I knew you must come day!"

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as lonely Something rolled down Mr. Tim-othy's nose and splashed on the white waistcoat. He jumped up and blew his nose violently. He rang the bell the draperies and suspended from the

for Benjamin.

"More wood, Benjamin," he ordered, sharply; "my fire is going out and I am taking a cold!"

The next morning after breakfast

Mr. Timothy locked himself up in the library and went to his safe, where he unlocked a secret drawer and took out a yellowed envelope, from which he drew a faded little valentine—the selfsame valentine that the girl in the stood alone before the control of the occasion. and then the bride gave to each departing guest a valentine as souvenir of the unlocked a secret drawer and took out a yellowed envelope, from which he drew a faded little valentine—the selfsame valentine that the girl in the fire picture had given to young Timothy Scott. This he placed carefully in his letter case. Then he cailed Benjamin.

"Have the sleigh around at 10 o'clock," he said, amiably, and the and then the bride gave to each departing guest a valentine as souvenir of the occasion.

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"Timothy," said the bride when they stood alone before the hearth fire, we must repeat this every year when valentine's day comes around—the reception, the supper, the music, the giving of valentines.

"We will," said Timothy, solemnly, according to the occasion.

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their several missions. He frowned sitting in the back. People stared afsegressively into the fire and the ter the sleigh curiously, for the sight
glowing embers sent shafts of light up of the master of Scott house recalled the chimney and framed pictures in which valentines played many a part; and that was very strange, too! morning.

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chandellers.

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OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.
Council Chamber, Topeka, Kan., May 4, 1906. Council met in regular monthly session at 8 o'clock p. m. with the following councilmen present: Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Hughes, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness-12.
Mayor Green in the chair.
On motion of Councilman Jordan the reading of the minutes covering the meeting of April 27th was dispensed with and they were approved as written up by the clerk.

ferred for revision, submitted the following report:

"We, your committee on ways and
means, to whom was referred the salary
ordinance for revision, beg leave to recommend that the ordinance be amended as
follows: The mayor's salary from \$125.00
to \$150.00 per month; deputy city cierk's
salary from \$6.00 per month to \$75.00 per
month; food inspector from \$6.66 per
month to \$75.00 per month; plumbing inspector from \$83.35 per month to \$75.00 per
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month; sanitary sargent from Claims and accounts against the city of Topeka for the month of April were pre-sented, read and referred to the claims and accounts committee, who reported the same back with recommendation that the claims be allowed and paid from funds as

follows:
General Revenue fund
Fire Department fund
Police Department fund
General Improvement fund
Water Works fund
Paving fund
Sixth Avenue Viaduct fund
Opening alley (Spruce & Tenth
sts.) fund

men Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Hughes, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness—12. Noes—None.

An ordinance transferring money from the general revenue fund to the West street opening fund, presented April 77th and referred to the ways and means committee, was reported back with recommittee, was reported back with recommendation that the ordinance be passed on motion of Councilman Horn. Each section was read and on separate motion adopted, and being placed on final passage it was adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Councilmen Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness—11. Noes—Councilman Hughes—1.

An ordinance taking certain platted and unplatted territory into the city of Topeka, was presented, read and referred to the streets and walks committee.

The mayor announced the appointment of D. B. Johnson as master plumber and James S. Wolf as journeyman plumber to serve on the plumbing board, and on roli call the appointments were confirmed by the following vote: Ayes—Councilmen Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Hughes, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness—12. Noes—None.

The mayor placed before the council the name of J. C. Bratton to serve as a member of the board of appraisers appointed to appraise the property liable for taxation in connection with the Martin and Dennis sewer, on account of the insbillity of Mr. Richards to serve. On roll call the appointment was confirmed by the following vote: Ayes—Councilmen Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Hughes, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness—12. Noes—None.

An ordinance providing for the condemnation and appropriation of certain land in the city of Topeka, Shawnee county, Kansas, for the purpose of opening alleys in the block bounded by Woodruff avenue, Seward avenue, Norris street and the south line of Norris addition and Woodruff Place addition, establishing a benefit district to pay for the same, and providing for the appointment of appraisers therefor and

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salary ordinance in conformity with the recommendations of the ways and means committee, as amended and adopted by the mayor and council."

The following resolution was presented by Councilman Stanley, and, on his own motion, it was adopted:

"Resolved, That the city attorney prepare and present to the council at next adjourned meeting, an ordinance creating benefit districts for the opening of Grove avenue and Roosevelt streets, as defined by the committee on streets and walks."

On motion of Councilman Kutz the following resolution, presented by himself, was adopted:

"Be it resolved by the mayor and council, that the mayor be and is hereby requested to appoint a committee of two councilmen to meet with a like committee appointed by the president of the board of eeducation of the city of Topeka, with the county treasurer, Mr. Medlicott, to investigate Mr. Medlicott's proposition to furnish the city council and board of education of the city of Topeka a complete list of property and taxes as set forth in his communication to the mayor and council."

The mayor appointed Councilmen Kutz and Horn to serve on such committee.

On motion of Councilman Stanley the next regular meeting of the council will be held in the council chamber on Monday, May 18th, 1908, at 8 o'clock p. m.

No further business appearing council adjourned.

[Seal.] C. B. BURGE, City Clerk.

referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that the remonstrance be placed on file, and on motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted. Protest of Flora A. Lindsay against the building of a sidewalk along the west side of Topeka avenue, 21st to 24th streets, presented April 20th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that the protest be placed on file. The report of the committee was adopted on motion of Councilman Jordan.

Protest of the Bank of Topeka against the building of a sidewalk on the west side of Topeka avenue, between 23rd and 24th streets, presented to the council on April 20th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that it be placed on file. On motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted.

Communication relative to the cutting of trees in the 1100 block on North Van Buren street, presented April 27th and referred to the committee was adopted.

Communication relative to the cutting of trees in the 1100 block on North Van Buren street, presented April 27th and referred to the committee on streets and walks, was reported back with recommendation that the request be granted, and that the street commissioner be directed to remove the trees. On motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted.

Petition for a sidewalk on the west side of North Topeka avenue, Laurent street to Rallroad tracks, presented April 37th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that the petition be granted, and on motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted.

Petition for re-paving alley between 6th avenue, 7th street, Kansas avenue and Quincy street, presented April 27th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that the request be granted; the re-setting of the stone blocks to be done at the expense of the abuttin

NOTICE.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Topeka and Northwestern Railroad company will be held at the office of the company in the Office block, in the city of Topeka, Shawnee county, Kansas, on Saturday, May 23rd, 1908, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

The meeting is called for the purpose of considering and acting upon the following proposition, viz.:

To approve and ratify the sale to the Union Pacific Railroad company of the railroad and branches, constructed or to be constructed, of The Topeka and Northwestern Railroad company, together with all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereto pertaining, and all other property of the company last named.

H. A. SCANDRETT. Noes—None.

Communication from I. H. Allen relative to Soldier creek bank, presented April 15th and referred to the streets and walks committee in connection with the city attorney, was reported back with recommendation that the communication be placed on file. The report of the committee was adopted on motion of Councilman Lordan.

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Petition for a sidewalk on the north side of 12th street. Madison to Quincy street, presented April 30th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that it be placed on file, and on motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted.

Petition for sidewalk on the east side of Monroe street, between 11th and 12th streets, presented April 20th and referred to the streets and walks committee, was reported back with recommendation that the petition be granted. On motion of Councilman Jordan the report of the committee was adopted.

An ordinance providing for the opening of alleys in the block bounded by Woodruff avenue, Seward avenue, Norris street, and assess the benefits derived and damages caused as by law provided by reason of the opening of alleys as hereinafter bounded by Ordinance, are as follows, towit:

Beginning at the intersection of the east

Noes—None.

On motion of Councilman Horne the following resolution, presented by himself, was adopted:
"Resolved. That the city attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare a salary ordinance in conformity with the recommendations of the ways and means

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line of Woodruff avenue with the south line of Seward avenue; thence east along the south line of Seward avenue to the west line of Norris street in Norris addition to the city of Topeka; thence south along the west line of Norris street to the south line of Norris addition; thence west along the south line of Norris Addition and the south line of Woodruff Place Addition to the cast line of Woodruff Addition; thence north along the east line of Woodruff avenue to the place of beginning, in the city of Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas.

J. H. SQUIRES, The ways and means committee, to whom the salary ordinance had been referred for revision, submitted the following report:

J. H. SQUIRES, L. T. GAGE, GEO. HANLEY, Apprais

[First published in The Topeka State Journal May 8, 1908.] NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Scaled proposals will be received by the State Board of Control at their office in the city of Topeka until 2 o'clock p. m. Thursday, June 4th, 1908, for the furnishing of all labor and materials necessary for the erection and construction of a septic tank, filter and contact beds for sewerage disposal plant at the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Atchlson, Kansas.

All of the foregoing to be executed in strict accord with the plans, details and specifications prepared for the same, coples of which can be seen on file at the office of the Board of Control, Topeka, Kan., at the office of the superintendent of the institution and at the office of the State Architect in the capitol, Topeka.

All bids or proposals shall be made to the Board of Control, and shall be accompanied by a certified check on some responsible bank, for five per cent of the amount hid, payable to the Board of Control and the same shall be forfeited to the State in case the successful bidder fails for ten days to enter into a contract and furnish the required bonds, as prescribed by law, after the awarding of the contract.

All bids or proposals shall be sealed and directed to the secretary of the Board of Control. Topeka, Kans., and indorsed "Proposals for sewerage plant."

All contracts shall be awarded by the Board of Control. Topeka, Kans., and indorsed "Proposals for sewerage plant."

All contracts shall be awarded by the Board of Control to the lowest responsible bideer, but the Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to reject parts of bids and accept parts, if deemed for the best interest of the state.

Attention of bidders is called to the "eight-hour law," with which they must comply.

By order of the Board of Control of State Charitable Institutions the committee was then adopted as amended on motion of Councilman Lannan.

Communication from Marshall's band regarding an appropriation for that organization, presented April 10th and referred to the ways and means committee, was reported back with recommendation that it be referred to the city attorney for legal advice, but on motion of Councilman Lannan it was re-referred to the ways and means committee.

An ordinance to appropriate money out of the general revenue fund, fire department fund, police department fund, general improvement fund, water works fund. Sixth Avenue viaduct fund and opening alley fund, was presented and read. On motion of Councilman Hughes rule 18 was suspended, an emergency declared and the ordinance taken up for final consideration. Each section was read and on separate motion adopted, and beling placed on final passage it was adopted and on separate motion adopted, and beling placed on final passage it was adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Councilmen Blakely, Fraser, Horn, Howard, Hughes, Jordan, Kutz, Lannan, Miller, Stanley, Tandy and Van Ness—12. Noes—None.

An ordinance transferring money from

comply.

By order of the Board of Control of State Charitable Institutions.

E. B. SCHERMERHORN, Chairman, F. W. KNAPP, Secretary, May 8, 1908.

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